second day of November in the year of our Lord, two thousand twenty-two.

MARK HAMMOND, Secretary of State. HENRY MCMASTER, Governor.

[State Seal Affixed]

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA

CERTIFICATE OF ELECTION FOR SIX-YEAR TERM
To the President of the Senate of the United
States:

This is to certify that on the 8th day of November, 2022, John Thune was duly chosen by the qualified electors of the State of South Dakota a Senator from said State to represent said State in the Senate of the United States for the term of six years, beginning on the 3rd day of January, 2023.

Witness: Her Excellency our Governor Kristi Noem, our Seal hereto affixed at 9:47 on this 22nd day of November, in the year of our Lord 2022.

By the Governor of the State of South Dakota:

KRISTI NOEM,
Governor of South Dakota.
STEVE BARNETT,
Secretary of State.

[State Seal Affixed]

STATE OF MARYLAND

CERTIFICATE OF ELECTION FOR SIX-YEAR TERM

To the President of the Senate of the United

States:

This is to certify that on the 8th day of November, 2022, Chris Van Hollen was duly chosen by the qualified electors of the State of Maryland a Senator from said State to represent said State in the Senate of the United States for the term of six years, beginning on the 3rd day of January, 2023.

Witness: His excellency our Governor Larry Hogan, and our seal hereto affixed at the City of Annapolis, this 19th day of December, in the year of Our Lord 2022.

By the Governor:

 $\begin{array}{c} \text{LARRY HOGAN,} \\ \textit{Governor.} \end{array}$

Attest:

JOHN C. WOBENSMITH, Secretary of State.

[State Seal Affixed]

THE STATE OF OHIO

CERTIFICATE OF ELECTION FOR SIX-YEAR TERM

To the President of the Senate of the United

States:

This is to certify, that at the General Election held on the 8th of November 2022, J.D. Vance was duly chosen by the qualified electors of the State of Ohio, to represent said State in the Senate of the United States for the term of six years, beginning on the 3d day of January, 2023.

In Witness Hereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the State of Ohio to be affixed. Done at the City of Columbus this 9th day of December in the year of our Lord 2022.

By the Governor:

MIKE DEWINE, Governor of Ohio.

Countersigned:

Frank Larose, Ohio Secretary of State.

[State Seal Affixed]

STATE OF GEORGIA CERTIFICATE OF ELECTION

To the President of the Senate of the United States

This is to certify that on the 6th day of December, 2022, Raphael Warnock was duly chosen by the qualified electors of the State of Georgia, a Senator from said State to rep-

resent said State in the Senate of the United States for the term of six years, beginning on the 3rd day of January, 2023.

Witness: His excellency our Governor Brian P. Kemp, and the Great Seal of the State of Georgia hereto affixed at the Capitol, in the city of Atlanta, the 19th day of December, in the year of our Lord, Two Thousand and Twenty-Two.

By the Governor,

BRIAN P. KEMP,

Governor. Brad Raffensperger,

Secretary of State.

[State Seal Affixed]

STATE OF VERMONT

CERTIFICATE OF ELECTION FOR SIX-YEAR TERM

To The President of the Senate of the United

States:

This is to certify that on the 8th day of November, 2022, Peter Welch was duly chosen by the qualified electors of the State of Vermont to be a Senator from Vermont to represent Vermont in the Senate of the United States for the term of six years, beginning on the 3rd day of January, 2023.

Witness my name hereunto subscribed and the Great Seal of the State of Vermont hereunto affixed at Montpelier this 22d day of November, 2022.

PHILIP B. SCOTT,
Governor.

JAMES C. CONDOS,
Secretary of State.

[State Seal Affixed]

STATE OF OREGON CERTIFICATE OF ELECTION

Whereas I, Shemia Fagan, the Secretary of State of the State of Oregon as provided by law duly canvassed the votes cast for the ofice of US Senate at the November 8, 2022, General Election and according to said canvass and as shown in the abstract of votes cast in each county and submitted to the Secretary of State by the county clerks, the following named individual received the highest number of votes; and

Therefore I, Kate Brown, Governor of the State of Oregon, in obedience to and by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and Laws of this State, do hereby certify that Ron Wyden was duly chosen by the qualified electors of the State of Oregon as US Senator from said State to represent said State in the Senate of the United States for the term of six years, beginning on the 3rd day of January 2023.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed hereto the Seal of the State of Oregon. Signed on this 15th day of December 2022.

KATE BROWN,
Governor.
SHEMIA FAGAN,
Secretary of State.

[State Seal Affixed]

THE STATE OF INDIANA

CERTIFICATE OF ELECTION FOR A SIX-YEAR TERM

Be it known by these presents:

Whereas, according to certified statements submitted by the Circuit Court Clerks of the several counties to the Election Division of the Office of the Secretary of State of Indiana, and based upon the tabulation of those statements performed by the Election Division, the canvass prepared by the Election Division states that at the General Election conducted on the eighth day of November, 2022, the electors chose Todd Young to serve the People of the State of Indiana as United States Senator from Indiana.

Now, therefore, in the name of and by the authority of the State of Indiana, I certify

the following in accordance with Title 2 United States Code Section 1:

To the President of the Senate of the United States:

This is to certify that on the eighth day of November, 2022, Todd Young was duly chosen by the qualified electors of the State of Indiana a Senator from said State to represent said State in the Senate of the United States for the term of six years, beginning on the 3rd day of January, 2023.

Witness: His excellency our Governor Eric J. Holcomb, and our seal hereto affixed at Indianapolis, this twenty-first day of November, in the year of our Lord, 2022,

By the Governor:

ERIC HOLCOMB,
Governor.
HOLLI SULLIVAN,
Secretary of State.

[State Seal Affixed]

THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

CERTIFICATE OF ELECTION FOR SIX-YEAR TERM

To the President of the Senate of the United

States:

This is to certify that on the 8th day of November, 2022, James Lankford was duly chosen by the qualified electors of the State of Oklahoma a Senator from said State to represent Oklahoma in the Senate of the United States for the term of six years, beginning on the 3rd day of January, 2023.

Witness: His excellency our governor J. Kevin Stitt, and our seal hereto affixed at Oklahoma City, Oklahoma this 20th day of December, in the year of our Lord 2022.

By the governor:

J. KEVIN STITT,
Governor.
J. BRIAN BINGMAN,
Secretary of State.

[State Seal Affixed]

ADMINISTRATION OF OATH OF OFFICE

The VICE PRESIDENT. If the Senators to be sworn will now present themselves at the desk in groups of four as their names are called in alphabetical order, the Chair will administer their oaths of office.

The clerk will read the names of the first group.

The legislative clerk called the names of Mr. Bennet of Colorado, Mr. Blumenthal of Connecticut, Mr. Boozman of Arkansas, and Mrs. Britt of Alabama.

These Senators, escorted by Mr. HICKENLOOPER, Mr. MURPHY, Mr. COTTON, and Mr. TUBERVILLE, respectively, advanced to the desk of the Vice President; the oath prescribed by law was administered to them by the Vice President; and they severally subscribed to the oath in the Official Oath Book.

The VICE PRESIDENT. Congratulations, Senators.

(Applause, Senators rising.)

The VICE PRESIDENT. The clerk will call the names of the next group.

The legislative clerk called the names of Mr. Budd of North Carolina, Ms. Cortez Masto of Nevada, Mr. Crapo of Idaho, and Ms. Duckworth of Illinois.

These Senators, escorted by Mr. Burr and Mr. Tillis, Ms. Rosen, Mr.

SCOTT of South Carolina, and Mr. DUR-BIN, respectively, advanced to the desk of the Vice President; the oath prescribed by law was administered to them by the Vice President; and they severally subscribed to the oath in the Official Oath Book.

The VICE PRESIDENT. Congratulations, Senators.

(Applause, Senators rising.)

The VICE PRESIDENT. The clerk will call the names of the next group.

The legislative clerk called the names of Mr. Fetterman of Pennsylvania, Mr. Grassley of Iowa, Ms. Has-SAN of New Hampshire, and Mr. HOEVEN of North Dakota.

These Senators, escorted by Mr. CASEY, Ms. ERNST, Mrs. SHAHEEN, and Mr. Portman, respectively, advanced to the desk of the Vice President; the oath prescribed by law was administered to them by the Vice President; and they severally subscribed to the oath in the Official Oath Book.

The VICE PRESIDENT. Congratulations, Senators.

(Applause, Senators rising.)

The VICE PRESIDENT. The clerk will call the names of the next group.

The legislative clerk called the names of Mr. Johnson of Wisconsin, Mr. Kelly of Arizona, Mr. Kennedy of Louisiana, and Mr. Lee of Utah.

These Senators, escorted by Mr. Kas-TEN, Ms. SINEMA, Mr. BOOZMAN, and Mr. Rubio, respectively, advanced to the desk of the Vice President: the oath prescribed by law was administered to them by the Vice President; and they severally subscribed to the oath in the Official Oath Book.

(Applause, Senators rising.)

The VICE PRESIDENT. The clerk will read the names of the next group of Senators.

The legislative clerk called the names of Mr. MORAN of Kansas, Mr. Mullin of Oklahoma, Ms. Murkowski of Alaska, and Mrs. MURRAY of Washington.

These Senators, escorted by Mr. SCOTT of South Carolina, Mr. Frank Hughes Murkowski, Mr. SULLIVAN of Alaska, and Ms. Cantwell of Washington, respectively, advanced to the desk of the Vice President; the oath prescribed by law was administered to them by the Vice President; and they severally subscribed to the oath in the Official Oath Book.

The VICE PRESIDENT. Congratulations, Senators.

(Applause, Senators rising.)

The VICE PRESIDENT. The clerk will read the names of the next group of Senators.

The legislative clerk called the names of Mr. PADILLA of California, Mr. PAUL of Kentucky, Mr. RUBIO of Florida, and Mr. Schatz of Hawaii.

These Senators, escorted by Mr. Coons of Delaware, Mr. McConnell of Kentucky, Mr. LEE of Utah, and Mr. SCHUMER of New York, respectively, advanced to the desk of the Vice President; the oath prescribed by law was administered to them by the Vice

President; and they severally subscribed to the oath in the Official Oath

The VICE PRESIDENT. Congratulations. Senators.

(Applause, Senators rising.)

The VICE PRESIDENT. The clerk will read the names of the next group of Senators.

The legislative clerk called the names of Mr. Schmitt of Missouri, Mr. SCHUMER of New York, Mr. SCOTT of South Carolina, and Mr. Thune of South Dakota.

These Senators, escorted by Mr. BLUNT of Missouri, Mrs. GILLIBRAND of New York, Mr. GRAHAM of South Carolina, Mr. Moran of Kansas, and Mr. Pressler, respectively, advanced to the desk of the Vice President; the oath prescribed by law was administered to them by the Vice President; and they severally subscribed to the oath in the Official Oath Book.

The VICE PRESIDENT. Congratulations. Senators.

(Applause, Senators rising.)

The VICE PRESIDENT. The clerk will read the names of the next group of Senators.

The legislative clerk read the names of Mr. VAN HOLLEN of Maryland, Mr. Vance of Ohio, Mr. WARNOCK of Georgia, and Mr. WELCH of Vermont.

These Senators, escorted by Ms. Mikulski, Mr. CARDIN of Maryland, Mr. PORTMAN of Ohio, Mr. BROWN of Ohio, Mr. Kaine of Virginia, and Mr. Leahy of Vermont, respectively, advanced to the desk of the Vice President; the oath prescribed by law was administered to them by the Vice President: and they severally subscribed to the oath in the Official Oath Book.

The VICE PRESIDENT. Congratulations, Senators.

(Applause, Senators rising.)

The VICE PRESIDENT. The clerk will read the names of the next group of Senators.

The legislative clerk called the names of Mr. Wyden of Oregon and Mr. Young of Indiana.

These Senators, escorted by Mr. MERKLEY of Oregon and Mr. BLUNT of Missouri, respectively, advanced to the desk of the Vice President; the oath prescribed by law was administered to them by the Vice President; and they severally subscribed to the oath in the Official Oath Book.

The VICE PRESIDENT. Congratulations, Senators.

(Applause, Senators rising.)

RECOGNITION OF THE MAJORITY LEADER

The VICE PRESIDENT. The majority leader is recognized.

QUORUM CALL

Mr. SCHUMER. I suggest the absence of a quorum.

The VICE PRESIDENT. The absence of a quorum having been suggested, the clerk will call the roll.

[Quorum No. 1]

Baldwin Graham Reed Bennet Grasslev Rosen Blackburn Rubio Blumenthal Hickenlooper Sanders Boozman Hoeven Schatz Johnson Schmitt Brown Kaine Schumer Budd Kelly Scott (SC) Cantwell Kennedy Shaheen Capito Klobuchar Sinema. Cardin Lankford Smith Carper Stabenow Manchin Casev Sullivan Collins Markey Thune McConnell Coons Tillis Cornvn Merklev Tuberville Cortez Masto Moran Van Hollen Cotton Mullin Vance Murkowski Crapo Duckworth Warnock Murphy Welch Durbin Murray Wicker Ernst Padilla Fetterman Paul Wyden Gillibrand Peters Young

The VICE PRESIDENT. A quorum is present.

LIST OF SENATORS BY STATES

Alabama—Tommy Tuberville KATIE BOYD BRITT

Alaska—Lisa Murkowski and Dan SULLIVAN

Arizona-Kyrsten Sinema and Mark KELLY

Arkansas-John Boozman and Tom COTTON

California—Dianne Feinstein and ALEX PADILLA

Colorado-Michael F. Bennet and JOHN W. HICKENLOOPER

Connecticut—RICHARD BLUMENTHAL and Christopher Murphy

Delaware—THOMAS R. CARPER and CHRISTOPHER A. COONS

Florida-Marco Rubio and Rick SCOTT

Georgia-Jon Ossoff and RAPHAEL G. WARNOCK

Hawaii—Brian Schatz and Mazie K. HIRONO

Idaho-Mike Crapo and James E. Illinois—Richard J. Durbin

TAMMY DUCKWORTH Indiana—Todd Young and MIKE

and

BRAUN Iowa—Chuck Grassley and Joni

ERNST Kansas-Jerry Moran and Roger

Marshall Kentucky—MITCH McConnell and

RAND PAUL Louisiana—BILL CASSIDY and JOHN

KENNEDY

Maine—Susan M. Collins and Angus S. KING, JR.

Maryland-Benjamin L. Cardin and CHRIS VAN HOLLEN

Massachusetts—ELIZABETH WARREN and EDWARD J. MARKEY

Michigan—Debbie STABENOW and GARY C. PETERS

Minnesota—Amy KLOBUCHAR and TINA SMITH

Mississippi-Roger F. Wicker and CINDY HYDE-SMITH